



**HOME OWNER:** Bryan & Melissa Drew ■ **LIVING SQUARE FOOTAGE:** 3,094 ■ **ADDITIONAL SQUARE FOOTAGE:** 3,008 (includes front porch, back porch, garage & basement) ■ **TOTAL SQUARE FOOTAGE:** 6,102 ■ **YEAR CONSTRUCTED:** 2004

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As attorneys, my wife and I have seen what can happen when you choose the wrong builder, which is why we are very lucky to have chosen Larry Olsen to build our first and only home. From the bid process through construction, Larry listened to our ideas and worked with us to bring our dreams into a reality. Larry was easy to work with and was always extremely organized and prepared throughout the construction process. When we first met, Larry stated that he would have our home finished within eight months, and while all of our friends who had previously built homes sat in disbelief, Larry completed our home seven months later.

The two best words I can use to describe Larry Olsen and his work are "honesty" and "quality." All of the work performed on our home was done with the utmost care and to the highest of quality. I know that our home was not easy to build as there were, according to Larry and every sub on the job, only two straight walls in the entire house. Larry Olsen was up to the challenge and met all of our expectations.

Our profession does not lend itself to trusting people easily in the business world as we mostly see business relationships that have gone terribly wrong. I trusted Larry implicitly and recommended him as a builder to my brother. It was a tremendous relief knowing that we did not have to worry about anything during the building process with Larry.

My wife and I built our home during our first year of marriage while my wife was pregnant with our daughter, Olivia. A testament to Larry's abilities is that we are still happily married. He made the difficult and often frightening task of building a home seem easy. I am happy to say that in hiring Larry Olsen I gained not only the home that my wife and I dreamed of but a friend in the process.

Good Luck,

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